October 27, 2005

Marlene H. Dortch, Secretary Federal Communications Commission Office of the Secretary 445 12th Street, S.W. Washington, D.C. 20554

Re: Spectrum Needs of Emergency Responders; WT Docket No. 05-1571

Dear Ms. Dortch:

On October 26, 2005, the Spectrum Coalition for Public Safety caused the attached material to be filed by email with the following FCC staff:

Mr. Rick Chessen; Assoc. Bureau Chief, Office of the Bureau Chief, Media Bureau

Ms. Angela Giancarlo, Assoc. Chief, Public Safety & Critical Infrastructure Div., WTB

Ms. Eloise Gore; Media Bureau

Mr. Michael Lance; Deputy Division Chief, Engineering Division, Media Bureau

Ms. Marybeth Murphy; Division Chief, Policy Division, Media Bureau

Mr. Nazifa Sawez; Media Bureau

Mr. Alan Stillwell; Senior Associate Chief, Office of Engineering & Technology

Although the electronic transmission did not contain the Docket reference, this "open letter" material was filed regarding the above-referenced proceeding. Therefore, the Spectrum Coalition requests these documents be accepted as a late filing on Docket 05-157. The purpose of the documents is to further indicate to the FCC material for consideration in meeting the purpose of the Docket, and reflecting an update to the previous April, 28, 2005 Spectrum Coalition filing on this Docket.

In accordance with Section 1.1206(b) (2) of the Commission's rules, this letter and attached material is being filed electronically and via commercial overnight mail (1 unstapled original plus 4 stapled copies) with your office. Questions may be directed to the undersigned.

¹ Public Notice, Federal Communications Commission Requests Comments on Spectrum Needs of Emergency Response Providers, 05-80. Released March 29, 2005

Respectfully,

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